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SUBJECT: CHARTER REVIEW

1. FRENCH MISSION MINISTER SCALABRE TOLD MISOFF HE HAS HEARD FROM SMUN THAT FINLAND IS CONSIDERING ADVANCING PROF BROMS FOR CHAIRMANSHIP OF AD HOC COMMITTEE ON CHARTER REVIEW. SCALABRE THOUGHT THIS MIGHT BE MORE OF A SOVIET THAN FINNISH INITIATIVE BUT HE AND MISOFF RECALLED BROMS' ABLE AND HELPFUL PERFORMANCE AS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON DEFINING AGGRESSION WHERE HE HAD WORKED FOR AGREEMENT OF ALL PARTIES CONCERNED AND WITHOUT RECOURSE TO VOTING. SCALABRE SAID ONLY OTHER POSSIBLE CANDIDACY THAT HAS COME TO FRENCH MISSION NOTICE WAS BY WAY OF INQUIRY BY COLOMBIA WHICH FRENCH CONSIDER UNACCEPTABLE AS A PRINCIPAL PROPONENT OF CHARTER REFORM. (FINLAND ABSTAINED IN UNGA VOTE TO ESTABLISH CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE.)

2. SCALABRE HOPED ITALIAN AND JAPANESE EFFORT TO MOVE CHARTER REVIEW COMMITTEE SESSION FROM AUGUST TO JUNE WOULD PROVE SUCCESSFUL. HE THOUGHT AUGUST SCHEDULING WOULD MAXIMIZE CONFRONTATION AND JUNIOR HARD-LINE PARTICIPATION BY SMALLER COUNTRIES.

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3. HE SAID THAT IF US AND UK WERE TO RESPOND TO SYG'S
INQUIRY FOR UPDATING OF GOVERNMENTAL SUBMISSION CONCERN-
ING REVIEW OF THE CHARTER, GOF WOULD ALSO DO SO BUT WOULD
LIMIT RESPONSE TO SIMPLE REAFFIRMATION "TOUT COURT" OF PARIS'
OPPOSITION TO CHARTER REVIEW.
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